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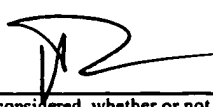
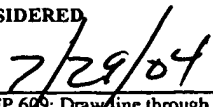
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	AH	4,280,302	7/1981	Ohno			
	AI	4,580,371	4/1986	Akhavi			
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